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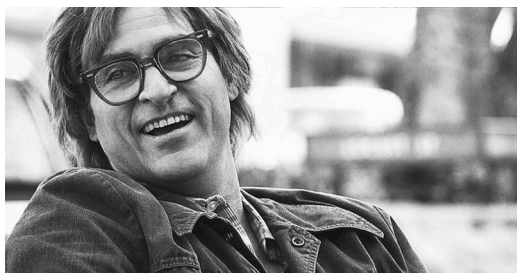
Don't worry, he won't get far on foot – Review

John Callahan has a **lust** for life, a talent for off-color jokes, and a drinking problem. When an all-night bender ends in a **catastrophic** car accident, the last thing he intends to do is give up drinking. But when he reluctantly enters treatment -with encouragement from his girlfriend (Rooney Mara) and a charismatic sponsor (Jonah Hill) - Callahan discovers a gift for drawing **edgy, irreverent** newspaper cartoons that develop an international following and grant him a new lease on life.

Based on a true story, this poignant, insightful and often funny drama about the **healing** power of art is adapted from Callahan's autobiography and directed by two-time Oscar nominee Gus Van Sant. Jack Black, Carrie Brownstein, Beth Ditto and Kim Gordon also star.



The film seems as much an **admiration** of Alcoholics Anonymous as anything but the man at the center of this darkly funny drama is not a fictional character. John Callahan was a counter-culture cartoonist who was a **fixture** of Portland, Oregon, until his death in 2010. Callahan's cartoons were noted for their irreverent dark-humor and were often compared to those of Gahan Wilson and Charles Addams.



Callahan's work won him a national following and loyal fans. But those fans expecting this to be a biopic on the **cartoonist** likely will be frustrated, as this film focuses narrowly on a particular, albeit pivotal point in Callahan's life. The film feels like it is more about **alcoholism** than Callahan.

If one lets go of the idea of this being a biopic, the film is actually one of Gus Van Sant's best recent **efforts**, well-constructed and perfectly paced, with an inspirational story that harkens back to his earlier *Good Will Hunting*. However, it is still a small film, a little gem, not a game-changing cinematic effort or a film likely to become a big popular hit. Still, Joaquin Phoenix's performance, and Jonah Hill's as well, are so good as to be awards-worthy, which alone makes the film worth seeing.



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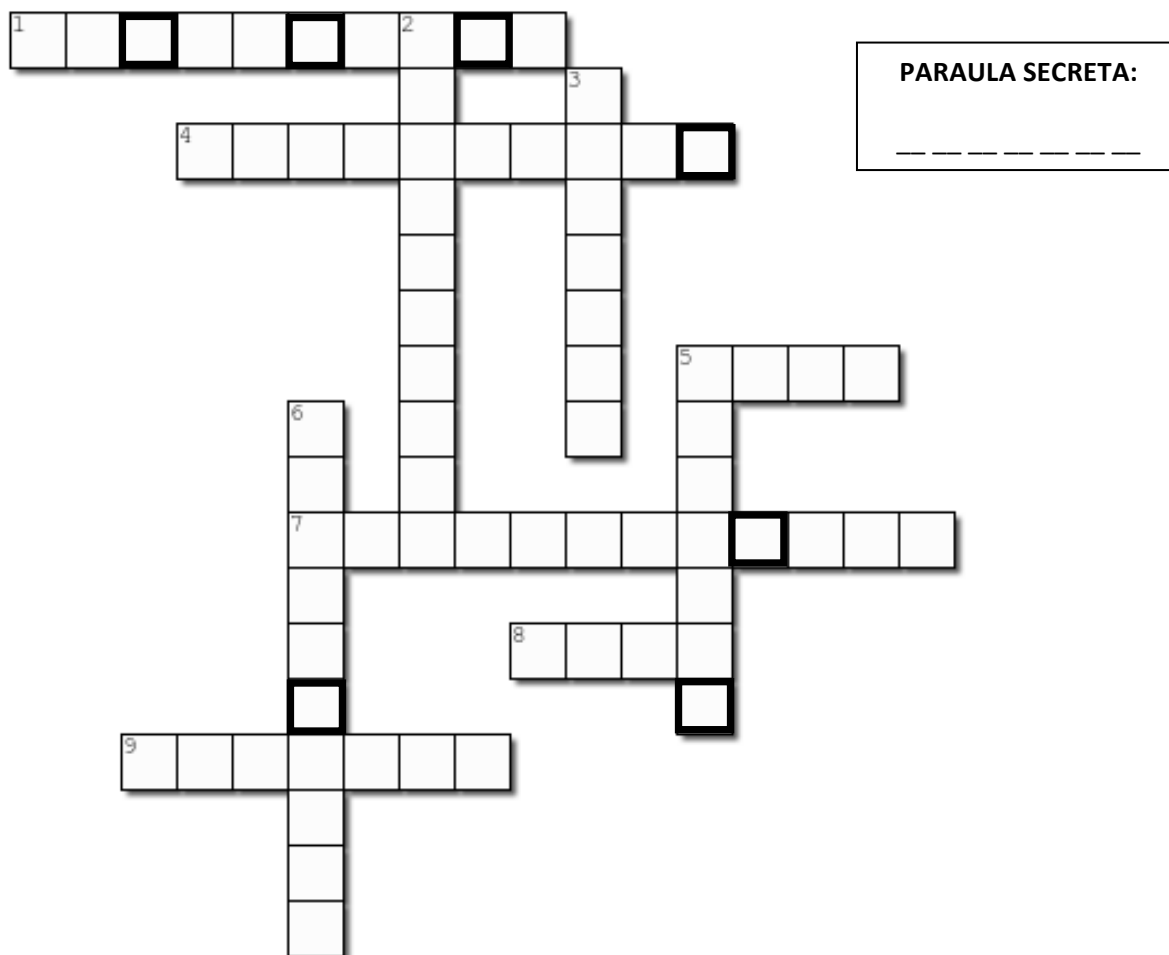
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1. a person who draws cartoons
4. a feeling of respect and approval
5. strange in a way that is interesting and exciting
7. causing a lot of damage
8. great enthusiasm for something
9. the process of becoming healthier or better again

DOWN

2. showing no respect for traditions, the rules of society or religious beliefs
3. used about a person considered to be permanently established in a place
5. attempts
6. a condition of being addicted to drinking alcohol



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